

# PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Thakker & Ward

Group Art Unit: 1612

**Serial No.: 09/974,519**

Examiner: Packard, Benjamin J.

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Docket No.: 421/32/2

Confirmation No.: 7285

For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR ENHANCING PARACELLULAR  
PERMEABILITY ACROSS EPITHELIAL AND ENDOTHELIAL BARRIERS

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### AMENDMENT H

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Non-Final Official Action dated April 14, 2009, for which the period for response expires on August 14, 2009. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of **\$65.00**, to cover the extension fee for a small entity, along with any other fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, and to credit any over payment to, Deposit Account Number 50-0426.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendment and Remarks.

### AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows: